

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently amended) An injection needle ~~which comprises~~ comprising:
a fitting member fitted to a parenteral solution discharge port of an injector ~~body~~, body;
a needle body held by the fitting ~~member~~, member;
~~and a cap detachably attached to the fitting member to cover the needle body, and is used~~
~~by fitting the cap being arranged to fit the fitting member with the cap attached thereon to the~~
~~injector body and detaching to detach the cap from the fitting member, comprising~~ member;
a cover member ~~that is provided~~ movably moveable in an axial direction of said needle
~~body, exposes a~~ for (a) exposing tip end side of the needle body by moving to a base end side of
the needle body, and ~~covers~~ (b) covering the tip end side of the needle body by moving to the tip
end side of the needle ~~body~~, body;
~~wherein said cap is provided with~~ including a locking portion that is ~~locked~~ lockable at
the cover member to move the cover member to the tip end side of the needle body with the cap.
2. (Currently amended) The injection needle according to claim 1, wherein
said fitting member ~~is provided with~~ includes an extended portion extending in the axial
direction toward the tip end side of the needle body; and
said cover member ~~is formed into~~ having a cylindrical shape and ~~engaged~~ engagable with
the extended portion ~~movably~~ moveable in the axial direction.
3. (Currently amended) The injection needle according to claim ~~1 or 2~~, wherein
a locking portion ~~that locks for locking~~ the locking portion of the cap ~~is provided at a~~
predetermined position in the axial direction of said cover member; and
the locking portion of the cap ~~is formed~~ being arranged to ride over the locking portion of
the cover member in the axial direction by elastic deformation.

4. (Currently amended) The injection needle according to claim 3, wherein
the locking portion of said cover member ~~is formed into~~ includes a flange shape to
~~project-projecting~~ in a ~~diameter-radial~~ direction of the cover member; and
the locking portions of said cap ~~are being projectingly provided~~ are arranged to be spaced
from each other in a circumferential direction at a plurality of spots on an inner peripheral
surface of the cap.
5. (New) The injection needle according to claim 1, wherein
a locking portion for locking the locking portion of the cap at a predetermined position in
the axial direction of said cover member; and
the locking portion of the cap being arranged to ride over the locking portion of the cover
member in the axial direction by elastic deformation.
6. (New) The injection needle according to claim 5, wherein
the locking portion of said cover member includes a flange projecting in a radial direction
of the cover member; and
the locking portions of said cap being projectingly arranged to be spaced from each other
in a circumferential direction at a plurality of spots on an inner peripheral surface of the cap.